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GAS LINE BREAK RESULTS IN ROAD CLOSURE, STRONG ODOR; FIREFIGHTERS MONITORING SITUATION

(January 27, 2006) At this hour, a section of Lebanon Road is temporarily closed -- and firefighters are monitoring a 6-inch gas line break near the intersection of Lebanon and Starwood Drive -- which is east of Lebanon and Legacy.

Firefighters say the Atmos Gas Company crews just arrived at the site and anticipate the gas line will be shut off within a half hour.

In the meantime, firefighters advise residents in the Starwood subdivision may notice a strong gas odor; however, firefighters remain in the area and are monitoring the situation.

Firefighters say the gas line break is the result of ongoing construction in the area. In the meantime, Lebanon Road -- between Legacy and Starwood Drive -- is temporarily until repairs are complete.

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